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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Heikki Ilvespää

Serial No.: 08/861,231

Filed: May 21, 1997

For: Method and Apparatus for Reduction of Curling
of Paper in the Drying Section of a Paper
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AMENDMENT

SIR:

Applicant hereby requests a two-month extension of the original shortened statutory response period set in the Office Action of September 6, 2001. A check in the amount of \$400 in payment of the government fee for a two-month extension of time is enclosed herewith. Any additional fees or charges required at this time in connection with the present application may be charged to our Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

In response to the Office Action dated September 6, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows: